

# RED SOX CAME FROM BEHIND AGAIN, 4-3

Thrilling Batting Rally by the Giants in the Ninth Falls One Run Short of Tying the Score.

## WOOD IS PITCHING HERO OF FIRST CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Boston Twirler Strikes Out 11 Men—Tessreau a Wonder for Five Innings but Is Driven from Box in the Seventh—Series Has Just Begun, Says McGraw.

### PLAYERS RECEIVE \$40,508.

New York, Oct. 8.—The attendance figures for the first game between the Athletics and the Boston Red Sox, which was played at Fenway Park today, showed that the contest attracted 35,750, just 2,551 less than last year. The total receipts for the game were \$75,127, of which the players received \$40,508 and each club \$15,523. The national commission's share was \$7,513.

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New York, Oct. 8.—The Boston Americans overcame the New York Nationals by a score of 4 to 3 today before more than 35,000 people in the first game of the world series. The contest was nip and tuck all the way. The Giants made a thrilling rally in the ninth inning when they nearly tied the score, but "Smoky" Joe Wood's bewildering speed turned two of their batters back to the bench on strikes for the last two put outs and the Red Sox carried off the honors.

When victory perched on the banners of the Red Sox host the Boston delegation marched across the field and Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston, who was a guest of Mayor Gaynor, led in the cheers for the players of both teams. Governor Eugene Foss of Massachusetts and Governor Tener of Pennsylvania saw the contest. Barely, if ever, has any world series provided such a dramatic finish. Two runs behind, the Giants' supporters had given up hope. Hundreds were leaving the stands when Merkle sent a single whistling to the outfield after one man was out. Even then the chance of tying the score seemed remote, but a Texas leaguer by the name of Herzig, who was sent to bat by the Indians, who sent Merkle home, put the stands in a flame of excitement.

### THOUSANDS STAND AND YELL.

With Giants on second and third thousands stood in their seats and yelled. Fletcher swung his bat nervously at the plate while Joe Wood, white of face, seemed anxious. The Red Sox twirler patted the grass, hitched his belt, rubbed the ball and adjusted his cap. This delay unsettled Fletcher and he swung feebly at Wood's first breaking shot three times and went back to the bench. Crandall, strong man in the pinch, came up. Wood put over two strikes and then three balls. The Red Sox twirler drew back his arm and shot over a high fast ball. Crandall swung, missed it by an inch and the game was over.

It was a battle of managerial wits in the selection of the pitchers. Manager McGraw planned his faith in Tessreau and the Omaha bear hunter held the Red Sox hitless until the sixth inning when Speaker's three-bagger broke the tie. Tessreau weakened in the seventh inning and before the fullness of Boston hits was over three runs were across the plate and the Red Sox had a lead of two runs.

Manager Stahl placed his star pitcher, Joe Wood, on the mound. In only two innings was the Red Sox moundman hit hard and his dazzling speed continued undiminished until the last man had struck out. Wood fanned 11 batters. He gave only two bases on balls.

### GIANTS FIRST TO SCORE.

The Giants were the first to edge their way into the run column. Wood held them scoreless until the third inning, when, after Tessreau had fanned, Devore worked the Red Sox boxman for a base on balls. Doyle put up a high fly to left which fell too far back for either Gardner or Wagner to reach. Doyle reached second on the hit, but Devore was held at third. Then Murray proved the Giants' hero of the day. This player, who went hitless through last year's world series, caught one of Wood's in-shoots and sent the ball skimming over second for a single and brought Devore and Doyle over the plate.

Tessreau was mighty until the sixth inning. Twenty Red Sox players had faced his quick-breaking, moist ball before the first hit was made. That was a long drive for three bases by Tris Speaker, who came home for the first run for the American League champions on an infield out by Duffy Lewis.

The seventh inning saw the end of Tessreau. Three strikes and a double sent three red-jacketed Boston players home and Manager McGraw was quick to see that the Bostonians had at last solved Tessreau's delivery. Wagner started the trouble for Tessreau in the seventh, after Stahl had been retired by sending a line drive to center. Cady followed with another liner to center and the Boston delegation in the stand drew a lusty cheer. Wood forced Cady at second, but Hooper shot a double past Merkle, putting Wagner across the plate and sending Wood to third.

Yerkes responded with a sharp drive over second and before the ball could be returned to the infield Hooper and Wood scampered over the rubber. With a lead of two runs the Giants had to take the offensive and nobly they responded with their ninth inning rally which failed by a run of tying the score.

"We won, as I thought we would," remarked Manager "Jake" Stahl as he led his players aboard an early evening train for Boston. "Joe Wood carried us to victory with fine pitching and our players

were ready with their bats when hits meant runs." "The series is just beginning," said Manager McGraw. "And while we would have liked to have won we are by no means disheartened by today's defeat. The Athletics were defeated the first game of the world series last year but they captured the title of champions." Business came to a standstill in the financial district when the game was in progress. Crowds on the stock exchange and in brokerage houses forsook the stock quotation tickers and hung around the news tape which carried the record of the game. Scores of bankers took a holiday while the directors of the Missouri Pacific railway advanced a directors meeting one hour that several of them might see the Red Sox and Giants do battle.

The crowd at the Polo Grounds was handled without confusion and there was room for all who came. Speculators obtained high prices for seats in the upper stand but many lost money when would-be purchasers failed to meet exorbitant demands for the coveted pasteboards.

For New York "Larry" Doyle shone with his usual brilliancy. He had two hits in four trips to the plate one of them being for two bases. He was all over the field and nothing got past him. Herzig also was very much in the game, getting two hits and helping New York make the third run.

ONLY ONE ATTEMPTED TO STEAL. But one attempt was made to steal a base and that came in the second inning, when after reaching first base on a force, Stahl started down and was flagged by Meyers with a perfect throw to Doyle.

Despite the nervousness of the two teams there were but two misplays. These were committed by Wagner and Fletcher, the two short stops falling down on easy grounders, no doubt due to their anxiety to get the ball across to first.

Seventeen men struck out during the game. For New York Fletcher fell a victim three times to Wood's "smoke" ball. Tessreau fanned twice and Devore, Snodgrass, Merkle, Herzig, Meyers and Crandall each struck out once. "Jake" Stahl struck out twice on strikes and Speaker's out, both of which were fast grounders, and was left on the paths when Lewis sent a fly to Snodgrass.

Wood got his "smoke" ball right at the jump when Devore, the first New Yorker, stepped to the plate and struck out. Doyle reached Wood's pitching but he shot a grounder right into the waiting paws of "Heinie" Wagner, who threw the ball to first base. Snodgrass brought the stands to their feet by crashing a single over second, the first hit, and the crowd cheered again when Wood passed Murray, but the enthusiasm was short lived for Merkle popped out to Wagner.

In the second inning Boston again got its first batter on first, through Fletcher's picture of the rival players. Stahl hit to Tessreau who threw the ball to first base. Gardner turned swiftly and threw Gardner out at second. Stahl reaching first base, but he was out a moment later in trying to steal. Wagner was given his base on balls and Cady followed by sending a high fly to Murray.

There was very little action in New York's second inning. Herzig sent up a pop fly that Stahl captured and Meyers and Fletcher struck out.

Joe Wood was given a fine reception by the crowd as he slowly walked to the plate in the third inning. He waited patiently and received a base on balls and Hooper sent him down to second on a neat sacrifice. Tessreau to Merkle. Yerkes again went out, Doyle to Merkle. Wood taking third when he remained as Lewis closed the inning with a high fly that Fletcher had to run backward to get.

### NEW YORK'S BIGGEST INNING.

New York's biggest inning of the game did not open auspiciously. Tessreau, the first up in the third, went out on strikes. Devore had better luck and got four balls and a minute later pulled up at third base when Captain Doyle put up a high fly that gave him two bases. Wood appeared to be weakening, but he stuck to his task and fooled Snodgrass into striking out this time was intense. Devore fainted to go home. But Wood paid no attention to him. Murray singled to center field, bringing both Devore and Doyle home with the first runs of the game. Speaker threw home to head off Doyle at the plate but he was too late

and Murray, in trying to take second on the throw in, was thrown out by Cady ending the inning. Murray was wildly cheered by the crowd as he walked out to right field.

It was one, two, three for the Bostonians in their fourth inning. Tessreau was pitching in fine form. Gardner fouled to Herzig. Stahl struck out and Wagner sent up a foul to Merkle.

For New York, Merkle opened the inning by fanning. Herzig lifted a single to center field and went to second on Meyers' weak grounder that Wood got and shot over to Stahl ahead of the infield. Fletcher struck out for the second time.

The fifth inning was also barren of results, the pitching of the two star men being of the highest quality. Cady was an easy out, Doyle to Merkle. Wood rolled an easy grounder to Merkle that the latter scooped up and touched the bag and Hooper fell a victim to strikes.

GARDNER NAILS DOYLE. Tessreau, the first man up for New York, was compelled to take off his cap to acknowledge the cheers of the crowd as he came to bat in the fifth. He struck out. Devore sent a high one to Lewis and "Larry" Doyle again brought the stands to their feet by shooting a single over third which Gardner knocked down and could not handle quickly. Doyle rounded first as Gardner got the ball and was thrown out at second trying to stretch the hit into a double. Wagner taking the out.

Yerkes flied out to Snodgrass in the sixth. Speaker waited until he got a good ball and then drove it to deep left center. Snodgrass sprinted after the ball and Devore seeing that the center fielder apparently had the ball sighted, stopped. Snodgrass ran with the ball and was only able to get his finger tips on it and the sphere rolled toward the center field wall. When the ball was returned to the infield Speaker was on third. The Boston outfielder then came home on Lewis's easy out, Doyle to Merkle. Gardner struck out.

New York's sixth inning was quickly over. Wagner fumbled Snodgrass's grounder. In attempting to sacrifice Murray sent up a little pop fly that Stahl gathered and doubled up Snodgrass at first. Wood taking the toss the play was so quickly made that it was thought by some that Stahl had made the double. Hooper sent up a hit that the official scorers agreed that the play had been made by Stahl and Wood. Merkle ended the inning with a fly to Wagner.

### TESSEAU DRIVEN TO BENCH.

Then came the big seventh inning when Boston forged to the front as already told by scoring three runs and driving Tessreau from the box. The New York rooters shouted for their favorites to start something in the seventh but the National Leaguers were unequal to the occasion. Herzig caused a grounder when he struck out. Meyers was hit by a pitched ball but a moment later was forced at second by Fletcher, Yerkes to Wagner. McCormick batting for Tessreau, flew out to Lewis.

In the eighth inning, with Crandall pitching in place of Tessreau, Lewis went out, Fletcher to Merkle, and Gardner and Stahl struck out. The Giants in their half of the eighth also were quickly disposed of. Devore and Doyle both went out, Wagner to Stahl, and Snodgrass sent a pop fly to Gardner.

Wagner opened the ninth inning for the Red Sox with a slashing double to left. He went to third on Cady's sacrifice. Herzig to Merkle, and was held there while Crandall was throwing out Wood at first. Hooper sent up a little fly to Doyle. Then followed the dramatic climax when the Giants made a run and failed to win on what promised to be a successful rally.

It was learned to-night that Wagner, the Boston shortstop, hurt his hand when Murray slid into second and was touched out by Wagner in the third inning. Wagner continued playing, however, and it is not believed the injury will prove serious.

### THE SCORE.

	Boston.	Ab.	R.	H.	P.	E.
Hooper, r. f.	.....	3	1	1	0	0
Yerkes, 2b.	.....	4	0	1	0	0
Speaker, c. f.	.....	3	1	0	1	0
Lewis, l. f.	.....	4	0	0	2	0
Gardner, 3b.	.....	4	0	0	1	1
Stahl, 1b.	.....	4	0	0	1	0
Wagner, s.	.....	3	1	2	3	0
Cady, c.	.....	3	0	1	1	0
Wood, p.	.....	3	1	0	1	0
Totals	.....	31	4	6	27	9

### NEW YORK.

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Devore, l. f.	.....	3	1	0	0
Doyle, 2b.	.....	4	1	2	0
Snodgrass, c. f.	.....	4	0	1	0
Murray, r. f.	.....	3	0	1	0
Merkle, 1b.	.....	4	1	1	0
Herzig, 3b.	.....	4	0	1	1
Meyers, s.	.....	4	0	1	0
Fletcher, s.	.....	4	0	3	1
Tessreau, p.	.....	2	0	0	2
Crandall, p.	.....	1	0	0	0
McCormick	.....	0	0	0	0
Becker	.....	0	0	0	0
Totals	.....	33	3	27	13

### VERMONT NOTES.

The exploding of an oil stove caused the destruction of the residence of John Raleigh on the Clarendon road near West Rutland Monday afternoon. A great loss of brook fry at the government hatchery at Holden has been sustained this year because of some obscure disease. The loss was about 30 per cent. of this year's hatchling.

An old bequest, just revealed, makes the old town of Barre the residuary legatee in the will of Dr. L. P. Holden of Boston, a former Barre resident. The amount will probably be small.

A verdict of \$200 was awarded John W. Blanchard in Rutland county court Monday night. He sued for \$100 for damages said to have been sustained in the collision of an electric express and a passenger car last May.

A corporation organized under the laws of Arizona has large holdings of asbestos and has mineral deposits at Lowell. It is known as the Alliance Asbestos company and has a capital stock of \$1,000,000. It is an amalgamation of the Vermont Asbestos and the American Asbestos companies.

# MATHEWSON FAILS TO DEFEAT THE RED SOX

Eleven-Inning Tie Game the Best McGraw's Veteran Pitching Star Can Do with Poor Support.

## ERROR AT PLATE LETS IN SPEAKER ON 3-BASE HIT

Short Stop Fletcher Heart-Broken over His Three Costly Misplays—Collins Started for Boston but Is Relieved by Hall in the Eighth—Giants Then Forge Ahead.

### PLAYERS' SHARE \$31,510.26.

Boston, Oct. 9.—Boston handed the big crowd at to-day's baseball game without much trouble. With the exception of a few bare spots in the outfield stands, every seat was taken. Tickets brought three times the regular price of three dollars for the grandstand. The total paid attendance to-day was \$9,148, with total receipts of \$58,369, of which the players' share was \$31,510.26, and each club received \$10,519.26. The national commission's share was \$5,339.50. The tie will be played off here to-morrow (Thursday).

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### PLAY AGAIN AT BOSTON.

With to-day's game a tie, the next contest will be played here to-morrow and the tickets originally sold for Friday's game will be good to-morrow. The tickets sold in New York for the game scheduled there on Thursday will be good for the game to be played there on Friday.

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The New York contingent whooped things up when "Red" Murray opened the Giants' fourth inning with a long drive to right center, Merkle fouled to Gardner and then Herzig sent out a sacrifice fly to Speaker, scoring Murray. Meyers again singled and was left at first when Fletcher batted a high fly to Hooper.

For Boston Stahl struck out, Wagner flied to Murray. Carrigan shot a grounder to Fletcher who flashed it across the diamond to Merkle.

### COLLINS WORKING FINELY.

Collins was pitching world's championship ball at this time, New York appearing to be unable to fathom his delivery. Mathewson first up in the fifth, struck out, but Carrigan dropped the ball, and threw the New York pitcher out at first. Snodgrass also fell before Collins's pitching for three strikes, and Doyle flied out to Lewis.

Boston added a run to her score in the fifth inning. After Collins had struck out, Hooper got his third hit, a single to center, and again stole second base. Yerkes came through with a smashing three-base drive to right center, sending Hooper home. With Speaker up it looked as if there would be more scoring, but the batter drove a hot liner that Fletcher managed to hold and double up Yerkes at third. In this inning Murray and Snodgrass changed places in the outfield because of the sun.

The Giants in the sixth were easy for the Red Sox. Becker was out, Yerkes to Stahl. Murray singled, his second hit, and Merkle sent a fly to Speaker. Murray then tried to steal second, but was out by a yard on Carrigan's throw to Wagner.

Fletcher made his second error of the game in the sixth inning, missing Lewis's grounder. Gardner's sacrifice, Mathewson to Merkle, put Lewis on second and he went to third on Stahl's out, also Mathewson to Merkle. He was left at third when Wagner rolled a little grounder which Mathewson, running over toward the first base line, got and touched out the runner.

The National League champions started the seventh inning with some promise of scoring. Herzig singled to right, Meyers flied out to Yerkes and Herzig stole second. Fletcher flied to Stahl and Mathewson ended the hopes of the Giants for the inning by striking out.

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### EXCITING EIGHTH INNING.

Then came the eighth inning in which was crowded much of the excitement of the game and when the inning was over the score showed the teams tied. For New York, Snodgrass led off by hitting a drive to Lewis, which he muffed. Doyle singled to center and Snodgrass took second. Doyle was forced at second when Yerkes "rushed over and picked up Becker's sac cut and tossed it to Wagner. Snodgrass taking third, Murray came to time with a two-bagger into the left field bleachers scoring Snodgrass and putting Becker on third.

Manager Stahl here called in Hall to pitch and Collins went to the bench in tears. Merkle, the first man to face Hall, fouled out to Carrigan. Carrigan dropped Herzig's difficult foul fly after a hard run and then the New Yorker doubled to center and Becker and Murray came across the plate with two runs. These put New York in front for the time being. There was wild excitement in the stands but the inning ended when Meyers went out, Wagner to Stahl.

One run behind, Boston became desperate, but the eighth inning opened inauspiciously. Yerkes put up a high fly to Murray and Speaker went out, Mathewson to Merkle. Lewis hit for two bases into the left field bleachers. Murray almost breaking his back to get the ball and falling over the three-foot fence into the crowd. Fletcher then made his

### THE TRANS-CONTINENTAL CANADIAN RAILROAD FROM HUDSON'S BAY TO THE PACIFIC COAST BY WAY OF EDMONTON, ALBERTA, HAS BEEN STARTED.

The road will cost over \$400,000, and is financed by H. M. King of England.

The H. B. Claffin company of New York has sold to the Pacific National bank one of the most valuable corners in Tacoma for \$400,000, or \$1,000 a front foot. The land was bought 17 years ago for \$70,000.

Alfred Parrish, an American who introduced the trolley in Barcelona, Spain, will soon return to Spain after a visit to this country prepared to start a water power project on the Rio river with a capacity of 300,000 horsepower.

The world's visible supply of coffee October 1 was 12,141,439 bags, compared with 11,419,073 on September 1, and 12,397,884 a year ago. Of this total, 4,600,000 bags are valorization holdings which cannot be sold until next January.

Miss Ida Seller, in charge of the Lithica branch of the Salvation Army, is under arrest, charged with assaulting eight-year-old Mary Pickles, of whom she had charge. The child says she was beaten with a certain pole.

Mrs. Minnie Bulwinkle, janitress at Alexander Presbyterian Church, New York, was severely burned when her dress was set afire by the rays of the sun shining through a glass lamp reflector she held in her hand.

A well-known truck engineer of New York has figured that some of the poor communities are now earning from \$20 to \$50 per day gross on four-ton trucks. This means a net profit of \$20 to \$30 per day to the operator.

From April 1 to September 30, 242,000 immigrants arrived in Canada, an increase of 14 per cent. over the same period last year. It is estimated that 75,000 of this number were from the United States, who brought with them \$100,000,000.

Betting odds in Wall Street on election results have taken a further turn against Roosevelt, and wagers are recorded at 4 to 1 against him